

In repatent application of

Masahisa Kobayashi

Serial No. 09/852,032

Group Art Unit 2112

Filed May 10, 2001

Examiner Knoll, Clifford H.

For

IEEE 1394 APPARATUS CAPABLE OF MAKING POWER CLASS COINCIDE EVEN AT THE CHANGE OVER OF A POWER SUPPLY TO BE USED

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PETITION FOR A SECOND AND THIRD MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND

Sir:

Applicant previously filed an amendment in the above-identified application on August 13, 2004, together with a petition for a one month extension of time. According to the advisory action mailed September 21, 2004, the amendment has not been entered in the case.

Applicant hereby petitions for second and third month extension of time to respond to the office action dated April 23, 2004. A check in the amount of \$840 is attached to satisfy the petition fee. This amount represents the cost of a three month extension (\$950) less the one month extension fee previously paid (\$110).

Accompanying this petition is a request for continued examination (RCE) which requests entry of the amendment filed August 13, 2004. The RCE is accompanied by a check for \$770.

If any additional amounts are required for granting this petition, implementing the RCE, or gaining entry of the amendment filed April 23, 2004, the Commissioner is authorized to charge attorney's deposit account 50-2041 (Whitham, Curtis & Christofferson, P.C.).

Please proceed to examination on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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Title: IEEE 1394 APPARATUS CAPABLE OF MAKING POWER CLASS COINCIDE EVEN AT THE CHANGE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is:

RCE WITH FEE OF \$770.00; EXTENSION OF TIME WITH FEE OF \$840.00

in the above identified application.

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Dated: September 28, 2004

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